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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the U.S. Application of

James ZEANAH et al.

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DELIVERING FINANCIAL SERVICES

Assistant Commissioner For Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to initial examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 4, line 12, replace "is" with --are--.

On page 10, line 15, after "account" insert --, acquirer, --;

line 16, after "brokering" replace ",", with -- and --; and

line 16, delete ", and acquirer".

On page 11, line 19, delete "the components of."

On page 19, line 27, delete "instantiate a transaction record queue component

91,".

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